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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph on page 32 with the following amended paragraph:

The sequence data for *P. falciparum* chromosome 13 was obtained from The Sanger Centre website at <u>Worldwide Web at sanger.ac.uk/Projects/P_falciparum/</u> <u>http://www.sanger.ac.uk/Projects/P_falciparum/</u>. Sequencing of *P. falciparum* chromosome 13 was accomplished as part of the Malaria Genome Project with support by The Wellcome Trust.